# Past Releases

Past Norton News Releases and Statements

#### December

- December 7, 2005: TWO NORTON BILLS INCLUDING D.C. LAND TRANSFER ON WAY TO FLOOR
- December 8, 2005: NORTON HOMEBUYER TAX CREDIT AND BUSINESS TAX INCENTIVES NOW PASSED BY BOTH HOUSES
- December 8, 2005: NORTON, CBC NOMINATIONS CHAIR, EXPLAINS CBC STRONG OPPOSITION TO ALITO
- December 12, 2005:NORTON WARNS GSA THAT DEVELOPMENT OF ST. E'S CANNOT PROCEED WITHOUT APPROPRIATE...
- December 13, 2005: NORTON AND CBC WANT MEETING ON ALITO WITH GANG OF 14 THIS WEEK
- December 15, 2005: NORTON BILL GETS HOUSE APPROVAL FOR MID-YEAR D.C. BUDGET AUTONOMY
- December 21, 2005; GSA FILES FOR WALTER REED FOR GOVERNMENT USE
- December 21, 2005: NORTON GETS \$20 MILLION ANNUAL MEDICAID INCREASE FOR D.C.
- December 28, 2005: SAVING D.C. GUN SAFETY LAWS & GAINING MID-YEAR BUDGET AUTONOMY...
- December 30, 2005: NORTON CITES KATRINA AND RECENT CRITICAL REPORTS AS EVIDENCE...

## November

- November 2, 2005: NORTON FINDS A WAY TO GET FEDERAL COURTHOUSE ANNEX HERE NAMED FOR JUDGE BRYANT
- November 3, 2005: NORTON SAYS NEW FLU VACCINE CONCERNS SHOW CONTINUING PROBLEMS
- November 4, 2005: NORTON WILL USE COMMUTER TAX TURN DOWN TO PRESS QUICK ACTION ON STRUCTURAL...
- November 10, 2005: NORTON ASKS D.C. RESIDENTS FOR VETERAN'S DAY ACTION FOR D.C. VOTING RIGHTS
- November 14, 2005: NORTON MOURNS PASSING OF JUDGE WILLIAM BRYANT
- November 16, 2005: NORTON RELEASES CONTROVERSIAL LETTER ON DISMISL OF AMTRAK'S DAVID GUNN
- November 17, 2005: NORTON SAYS TRANSFER OF WALTER REED TO DC IS LIKELY BUT IS CONCERNED
- November 18, 2005:NORTON HAILS ANOTHER DEFEAT OF GUN REPEAL AS D.C APPROPRIATION GETS FINAL APPROVAL
- November 23, 2005: NORTON ANNOUNCES "SPEAK OUT" ON IRAQ AND U.S. SPENDING PRIORITIES
- November 28, 2005: NORTON IN MEETINGS TO ASSURE GOOD COMMUNITY AND CITY RELATIONS WITH SOLDIERS HOME

- November 29, 2005:NORTON BIDS DC "HEAL THYSELF" AND TELLS CONGRESS DENYING DEMOCRACY IS NOT FAIR...
- November 30, 2005: NORTON CRITICAL OF BUSH'S IRAQ WAR REMARKS...

#### October

- October 3, 2005: NORTON ON NOMINATION OF HARRIET MIERS TO THE SUPREME COURT
- October 6, 2005: NORTON SUPPORTS MARRIAGE ACCOUNTS
- October 6, 2005: NORTON AT KATRINA HEARING SAYS FEMA LACKS TALENT AND CAPABILITY TO DO ITS JOB
- October 13, 2005: STATEMENT ON THE DEATH OF C. DELORES TUCKER
- October 19, 2005:NORTON AND DAVIS BILL TO AID FEDERAL EMPLOYEES FORCED TO WORK BEYOND RETIREMENT AGE
- October 25, 2005: NORTON SAYS ROSA PARKS LED AFRICAN AMERICANS TO FREE THEMSELVES
- October 28, 2005: NORTON SAYS UNIQUE ROSA PARKS ROTUNDA HONOR & HER EXAMPLE SPEAK TO DISENFRANCHISED
- October 28, 2005: NORTON CALLS FOR PRIORITY ON CHILDREN IN JUVENILE JUSTICE SYSTEM
- October 31, 2005: Remarks of Congresswoman Norton, At the Memorial Service Honoring Rosa Parks

# September

- September 19, 2005: NORTON CAUTIONS ON MIXED MESSAGES FOR NATION AND REGION FROM KATRINA TRIP
- September 21, 2005- HONORS FOR D.C. EMS EMPLOYEE AND NEW ORLEANS FAMILY SHE TOOK IN
- September 21, 2005: NORTON WANTS D.C. STATUES IN STATUARY HALL OF CONGRESS
- September 29, 2005: NORTON RAISES REVENUE POTENTIAL OF D.C. LAND TRANSFER BILL
- September 29, 2005: NORTON PRAISES WILLIAMS TENURE AS MAYOR
- September 29, 2005: NORTON ON-TIME PROCEDURE FREEING D.C. BUDGET TODAY NOW WORKING EVERY YEAR
- September 13 ,2005: DAVIS AND NORTON INTRODUCE FEDERAL AND D.C. GOVERNMENT REAL PROPERTY ACT
- September 13, 2005:FTA'S TAKOMA METRO STATION DEVELOPMENT DECISION DELAYED UNTILAFTER PUBLIC HEARI
- September 15, 2005: NORTON GETS BUDGET AUTONOMY FROM ANNUAL SUPPLEMENTAL PROCESS
- September 16, 2005: NORTON TO GULF COAST TO SEE KATRINA DAMAGE

## August

- August 1, 2005: NORTON AND DAVIS AGAIN INTRODUCE D.C. OMNIBUS AUTHORIZATION ACT
- August 2, 2005: NORTON FOUND CHANGED CONDITIONS AT GUANTANAMO BUT SAYS CONGRESS NEEDS TO HELP...
- August 4, 2005: NORTON OUT TO PRESERVE 16TH STREET FOR D.C.
- August 5, 2005: NORTON CELEBRATES 1965 VOTING RIGHTS ACT BREAKTHROUGH AND ASKS SAME FOR D.C.
- August 9, 2005: NORTON TO OFFER NEW INFORMATION ON HOMELAND SECURITY
- August 10, 2005: Testimony of the Honorable Eleanor Holmes Norton
- August 9, 2005: NORTON SAYS COURT COLLECTIVE BARGAINING DECISION MEANS DHS MUST REWRITE REGS
- August 19, 2005: NORTON OFFERS ADDITIONAL INFORMATION TO KEEP WALTER REED IN D.C.
- August 25, 2005: NORTON DOING POST-WALTER REED INVESTIGATION BUT FORESEES STATUS QUO FOR YEARS

### July

- July 1, 2005: NORTON NEGOTIATES ANOTHER RIDER OFF D.C. APPROPRIARTIONS
- uly 1, 2005: NORTON PRAISES O'CONNOR AND CAUTIONS BIPARTISAN CONSULTATION
- July 5, 2005: NORTON RELEASES LETTER TO INTERNATIONAL DELEGATES
- July 5, 2005: NORTON COMMENDS JULY 4th SECURITY DRILL BUT SEES ISSUES
- July 7, 2005: NORTON PRESSES PASSAGE OF HER SAFE TRAINS ACT AFTER LONDON BOMBING
- July 11, 2005: NORTON APPOINTS TWO D.C. SUMMER PAGES TO BEGIN SERVING TODAY
- July 11, 2005: NORTON JOB FAIR TUESDAY SEEKS TO BRIDGE GAP BETWEEN RISING JOB CREATION AND RISING...
- July 13, 2005: NORTON REINTRODUCES RAIL AND FREIGHT SECURITY BILL
- July 14, 2005: NORTON ANACOSTIA RIVER INITIATIVE PASSES IN THE HOUSE
- July 14, 2005: NORTON THANKS BROWNBACK FOR STATUS QUO ON VOUCHERS
- July 15, 2005: NORTON GOAL FOR MORE FEDERAL LAND FOR D.C. COMING TO FRUITION
- July 18, 2005: NORTON SEEKS TO RESTORE MASS TRANSIT FUNDING FOLLOWING LONDON ATTACK
- July 21, 2005: NORTON PRAISES SENATE APPROPRIATION WITH BUDGET AUTONOMY IN & GUNS & VOUCHERS OUT
- July 22, 2005: NORTON GUN SAFETY TOWN MEETING TO LET MAYOR, POLICE CHIEF & RESIDENTS TALK BACK...

- July 27, 2005: NORTON ASKS CAPITOL SECURITY TO RECONSIDER THEIR DECISION THAT ENDANGERS THE CAPITOL
- July 29, 2005: NORTON OFF TO GUANTANAMO BAY TO CLARIFY CONTROVERSIES INVOLVING DETAINEES
- July 29, 2005: NORTON GETS FIRST FEDERAL RACIAL PROFILING & D.C. FUNDING PRIORITIES IN FINAL...

June

- June 1, 2005: NORTON AT PRESS CONFERENCE TO BEGIN CONSTRUCTION APPROVED BY HER SOUTHEAST LAND BILL
- June 7, 2005: WALTER REED TO GET JULY PUBLIC HEARING IN D.C. AND SITE VISIT FRIDAY
- June 9, 2005: NORTON ARRANGES FOR COMMUNITY LEADERS TO MEET WITH BRAC LEADERS FRIDAY MORNING
- June 9, 2005: CONGRESSWOMAN ELEANOR HOLMES NORTON ON THE NOMINATION OF KENNETH WAINSTEIN
- June 14, 2005: 9TH GRADE HISPANIC STUDENT LEARNING ENGLISH HONOREDAT THE CAPITOL
- June 15, 2005: D.C. FREED FROM FEDERAL SUPPLEMENTAL IN SIGNIFICANT BUDGET AUTONOMY BREAKTHROUGH
- June 16, 2005: CONGRESSWOMAN ELEANOR HOLMES NORTON AT PRESS CONFERENCE CALLED BY CITIZENS
- June 23, 2005: Norton Will Seek Further Action If TSA Stalls Reopening of General Aviation at Reagan
- June 24, 2005: SOME MISTAKES AREN'T VERY FUNNY WHEN YOU DON'T HAVE A VOTE
- June 28, 2005: NORTON REBUKES GUN REPEAL ADVOCATES AT HEARING HELD AS PART OF HER EFFORT
- June 29, 2005: JEFFORDS, SARBANES, NORTON & WAXMAN INTRODUCE LEAD-FREE DRINKING WATER ACT
- June 29, 2005: NORTON SET TO STOP GUN REPEAL ON D.C. APPROPRIATION TODAY
- June 30, 2005: NORTON RESOLUTION FOR INTERNATIONAL SUPPORT FOR DC VOTING RIGHTS GUARANTEED A HEARING
- June 30, 2005: ONE SECTION OF GUN LAW IS DOWN BUT NORTON IS ENCOURAGED BY DEFEAT

May

- May 3, 2005: NORTON APPLAUDS DAVIS BILL AND RISING BIPARTISANSHIP ON D.C. VOTING RIGHTS
- May 4 , 2005: NORTON BILL AIMS TO ELIMINATE PROBLEMS SHE WITNESSED IN 2004 PRESIDENTIAL ELECTION
- May 10, 2005: NORTON, SENATORS, CIVIL RIGHTS LEADERS AT NEWS CONFERENCE AGAINST FILIBUSTER CHANGE
- May 11, 2005: NORTON ANNOUNCES OLD POST OFFICE BUILDING HISTORIC RENOVATION

- May 13, 2005: NORTON SAYS A CITY WITHOUT A STATE CAN'T ABSORB MILITARY CLOSURES WITHOUT COMPENSATION
- May 17, 2005: NORTON GETS ANACOSTIA RIVER FUNDS & PRESSES RAIL SECURITY BEFORE RULES COMMITTEE
- May 19, 2005: NORTON IN GEAR WITH CITIZENS COALITION & PUBLIC OFFICIALS TO STOP SECOND ATTACK ON D.C
- May 20, 2005: NORTON TO ADDRESS YALE GRADS SUNDAY
- May 24, 2005: NORTON BILL TO GIVE OWNERSHIP OF VALUABLE FEDERAL LAND TO PARTIALLY COMPENSATE D.C.
- May 24, 2005: NORTON'S LONG CAMPAIGN FOR CHARTER SERVICE RESUMPTION TO BEAR FRUIT IN 90 DAYS
- May 25, 2005: NORTON BRIEFED BY MILITARY BRASS ON CURRENT AND FUTURE USES OF WALTER REED

## April

- April 2, 2005: STATEMENT OF CONGRESSWOMAN ELEANOR HOLMES NORTON ON THE DEATH OF POPE JOHN PAUL II
- April 4, 2005: NORTON ANNOUNCES BREAKTHROUGH FOR OLD POST OFFICE RENOVATION
- April 4, 2005: NORTON HAILS SECOND INTERNATIONAL HUMAN RIGHTS DECISION FOR D.C. VOTING RIGHTS
- April 6, 2005: AS TOURIST SEASON BEGINS NORTON BILL ON OPENNESS AIMS TO KEEP VISITORS COMING
- April 6, 2005: NORTON URGES DC-NYC HELICOPTER SERVICE AND COSPONSORS SECOND BILL THIS SESSION
- April 7, 2005: NORTON WANTS SIGN PROMOTING D.C. VOTING RIGHTS UP ON BASEBALL OPENING DAY
- April 11, 2005: NORTON, MAYOR, RESIDENTS, BUSINESSES TO UNVEIL REMEDY FOR D.C.'S HIGH DEBT
- April 12, 2005: NORTON AND HOUSE REGIONAL DELEGATION INTRODUCE FAIR DEAL FEDERAL COMPENSATION ACT
- April 14, 2005: FAR REACHING BUDGET AUTONOMY BILL WITH POWERFUL SENATE AND HOUSE SPONSORS
- April 18, 2005: NORTON CITES FEDERAL FAILURE AS BASIS FOR D.C. CSX COURT VICTORY
- April 19, 2005: NORTON, HARKIN, CLINTON, DELAURO INTRODUCE FAIR PAY LEGISLATION ON EQUAL PAY DAY
- April 21, 2005:NORTON SMALL BUSINESS WORKSHOP WILL MEET GROWING NEED FOR CITY'S ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT
- April 21, 2005: NORTON AMENDMENT IN ENERGY BILL CONTINUES HER CAMPAIGN FOR FEDERAL LEADERSHIP
- April 26, 2005: CARAMELOS CONTAMINADOS CON PLOMO SIGUEN A LA VENTA EN EL DISTRITO DE COLUMBIA
- April 27, 2005: NORTON PERSISTENCE ON REAGAN NATIONAL AIRPORT PAYS OFF
- April 28, 2005: NORTON SCORES PARTIAL BREAKTHROUGH FOR RAIL AND FREIGHT SECURITY

#### March

- March 1, 2005: NORTON, LEAHY AND DISTRICT COURT JUDGES ASK CONGRESS TO NAME NEW ANNEX
- PR- March 2, 2005: NORTON INTRODUCES BILL ON READ ACROSS AMERICA DAY
- March 3, 2005: NORTON SEEKS URGENT FUNDING INCREASE FOR ANCIENT D.C. SEWER SYSTEM
- March 7, 2005: NORTON AND REPUBLICAN MEMBERS WRITE COLLEAGUES IN SUPPORT OF D.C. VOTING RIGHTS
- March 8, 2005: NORTON PREDICTS HOUSE & SENATE PASSAGE OF D.C. SUPPLEMENTAL FOR BASEBALL & WASA FUND
- March 9, 2005: NORTON IN COLLOQUY ON HOUSE FLOOR GETS PROMISE FOR HELP TO MEET METRO'S GROWING PAINS
- March 15, 2005: NORTON WANTS IMMEDIATE HEARING ON ANTHRAX FINDINGS TODAY IN POSTAL FACILITIES
- March 16, 2005: NORTON INTRODUCES BILL FOR TRANSFER OF WEAPON FUNDS TO DOMESTIC NEEDS
- March 17, 2005: STATEMENT OF CONGRESSWOMAN ELEANOR HOLMES NORTON ON THE DEATH OF WANDA ALSTON
- March 24, 2005: NORTON AND STUDENTS MEET WITH GEORGETOWN PRESIDENT
- March 28, 2005: SOCIAL SECURITY TOWN MEETING TO FOCUS ON PRIVATIZATION EFFECTS ON ALL AGES

## February

- February 7, 2005: NORTON HAILS \$6 MILLION FOR FOSTER KIDS AND BUDGET AUTONOMY IN PRESIDENT'S BUDGET
- February 8, 2005: NORTON ON MISSION TO KEEP BUSH FROM FORCING AMTRAK INTO BANKRUPTCY
- February 10, 2005: NORTON PRAISES APPROPRIATION REORGANIZATION
- February 11, 2005: NORTON TO EXPOSE EARLY REFUND EXPLOITATION WITH VICTIM AT ANNUAL TAX FAIR
- February 12, 2005: NORTON TO INTRODUCE BILL TO PROTECT LOW INCOME RESIDENTS
- February 24, 2005: NORTON ALL-AGES TOWN HALL TO TAKE ON CONTROVERSIAL BUSH SOCIAL SECURITY...

#### January

- January 3, 2005: STATEMENT OF CONGRESSWOMAN ELEANOR HOLMES NORTON ON THE PASSING OF SHIRLEY CHISHOLM

- January 6, 2005: NORTON DRAWS D.C. VOTING RIGHTS INTO HISTORIC DEBATE ON OBJECTIONS TO THE OHIO VOTE
- January 7, 2005: NORTON WARNS RIDGE THAT SOUTH CAROLINA HAZARDOUS RAIL DISASTER WOULD BE MORE...
- January 7, 2005: NORTON GETS INAUGURAL SECURITY BRIEFING--URGES BUSINESSES TO STAY OPEN
- January 10, 2005: NORTON ASKS HALF DAY FOR FEDERAL EMPLOYEES JANUARY 19
- January 11, 2005: NORTON TO SHOW OFF NOMA NEIGHBORHOOD TO FEDERAL AGENCIES WITH JOBS
- January 11, 2005: NORTON TO GET BRIEFING AFTER OBJECTING TO PROPOSED SECURITY MEASURES FOR JEFFERSON
- January 11, 2005: NORTON PRAISES LIFE AND WORK OF HER MOVEMENT FRIEND JAMES FORMAN
- January 12, 2005: NORTON GETS EARLY DISMISSAL FOR FEDERAL EMPLOYEES ON JANUARY 19
- January 18, 2005: NORTON HELPS TOURIST INDUSTRY GET SOME OF THOSE INAUGURAL DOLLARS
- January 27, 2005: NORTON, LIEBERMAN & IRAQI AMERICAN AT PRESS CONFERENCE
- January 28, 2005: NORTON WORKING TO ASSURE D.C. IS NOT HURT IN REORGANIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS